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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant(s): Carlos F. Barbas III et al.)
Application No. 10/078,757)
Filed: February 19, 2002) Group Art Unit: 1642
For: HUMANIZATION OF MURINE)
ANTIBODY)
Examiner: David J. Blanchard) Attorney Docket No. TSRI 598.0 Con.1

PETITION UNDER 37 CFR §1.136(a) and §1.17(a)(1)

Mail Stop Petition
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Sir:

A one-month extension of time for filing an Appeal Brief, up to and including October 13, 2005, is respectfully requested.

A Request for Continued Examination (RCE), in duplicate, and a Second Supplemental Amendment and Response to the final Office Action dated January 13, 2005 are transmitted herewith.

Please charge the additional fee due for the one-month extension of time (i.e., \$120) to our Deposit Account No. 15-0508. Please charge any additional fees, or credit any overpayment concerning this matter to our Deposit Account No. 15-0508, as well.

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Respectfully submitted,

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